REMARKS

In the Office Action dated October 6, 2005, informalities were noted in claims 2 and 5, each of which has been corrected.

Claim 1 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over the prior art. Claims 2-4 were stated to be allowable if rewritten in independent form, and claim 5 was allowed.

By the present Amendment, the subject matter of claim 4 has been included in independent claim 1, and claim 4 has been cancelled. In view of the indicated allowability of the subject matter of claim 4, claims 1, 2 and 3 are submitted to be in condition for allowance, together with already-allowed claim 5.

Early reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

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